SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)

U.S. Appln. No. 09/522,407

REMARKS

Claims 11, 16 and 17 are all the claims pending in the application.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for courtesies extended during the personal interview of

January 23, 2007.

In order to overcome the rejections made under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph,

Applicant further amends the claims to remove any ambiguities. In addition, during the personal

interview, the Examiner agreed that the originally filed specification supports the pending claims.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed

to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the

Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is

kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue

Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any

overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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